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In re Application of: Yoshikazu TANAKA et al. ) Confirmation No.: 4016  
Application No.: 10/583,110 )  
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING YELLOW )  
FLOWER BY CONTROLLING ) Examiner: Unassigned  
FLAVONOID SYNTHETIC PATHWAY )

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**Customer Window Mail Stop:**  New Application  Amendment  AF  Issue

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination on the merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments to the application filed concurrently herewith.

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